



**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

IN RE:)	
)	Case No. 15-10277-M
CRAIG COUNTY HOSPITAL)	Chapter 9
AUTHORITY, an Oklahoma)	
Public Trust,)	
)	
Debtor.)	

**ORDER DETERMINING THAT THE APPOINTMENT OF A
PATIENT CARE OMBUDSMAN IS NOT NECESSARY**

This Court upon consideration of the Debtor’s Motion for Determination Concerning the Need to Appoint An Ombudsman Pursuant to § 333 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Joint Stipulation (Dkt 33) filed by the Debtor and the United States Trustee, and after a hearing held on March 17, 2015, the Court finds that pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 333(a)(1) and with a showing of sufficient cause that the appointment of a patient care ombudsman is not necessary for the protection of patients under the specific facts of this case at this time.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that no ombudsman needs to be appointed in Debtor’s Chapter 9 case pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 333 of the Bankruptcy Code.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order is without prejudice to any party-in-interest’s right to request that an ombudsman be appointed at a later date in this case upon a showing of cause and notice to respond consistent with 11 U.S.C. § 333 and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2007.2.

ENTERED this 17th day of March, 2015.

TERRENCE L. MICHAEL, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

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